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For: **Melanoma associated peptide analogues and
vaccines against melanoma**)

PRELIMINARY
AMENDMENT)

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Prior to examination of the above-referenced patent application, the Examiner is respectfully requested to make the following amendments.

AMENDMENTS

In the Claims

1. (amended) A [Peptide,] peptide [immunogenic with lymphocytes directed against metastatic melanomas, characterized in that it] which comprises:
at least part of the [amino-acid] amino acid sequence of
SEQ.ID.No. 1 wherein [the amino-acid] an original amino acid at position 2 or 8 is
substituted with a replacement amino acid and wherein said peptide is immunogenic with
lymphocytes directed against metastatic melanomas.

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